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Docket No. 107156-00196

For: INFORMATION STORAGE MEDIUM

SUBMISSION OF TERMINAL DISCLAIMER

Director of the U.S. PTO
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August 5, 2005

Sir:

Submitted herewith for filing in the above-identified application is a Terminal Disclaimer for U.S. Patent Number 6,692,809.

Please find attached a check in the amount of \$130.00 to cover the fee discussed above. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fee deficiency or credit any overpayment associated with this communication to Deposit Account No. 01-2300, **making reference to Attorney Docket No. 107156-00196.**

Respectfully submitted,
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Sir:

Petitioner, PIONEER CORPORATION, having its place of business at Meguro-Ku, Tokyo, Japan represents that it is the assignee and owner of all right, title and interest in and to U. S. Patent Application Serial No. 10/631,857, filed August 1, 2003, for INFORMATION STORAGE MEDIUM, the assignment for the application being recorded at Reel 014349, Frame 0167 on August 1, 2003. Petitioner is also the assignee of all right, title, and interest in and to U.S. Patent No. 6,692,809, the assignment for the patent being recorded at Reel 012397, Frame 0637 on December 20, 2001.

Petitioner hereby disclaims the terminal part, if any, of any patent granted on application Serial No. 10/631,857, which would extend beyond the expiration date of U.S. Patent No. 6,692,809, and hereby agrees that any patent so granted on application Serial No. 10/631,857 shall be enforceable only during such period that the legal title to such patent shall be the same as the legal title to U.S. Patent No. 6,692,809 this agreement to

run with any patent granted on application Serial No. 10/631,857, and to be binding on its grantee, its successors, or assigns.

Petitioner does not disclaim any terminal part of any patent granted on the above-identified application prior to the expiration date of the full statutory term as presently shortened by any terminal disclaimer of U.S. Patent No. 6,692,809 in the event that it later: expires for failure to pay a maintenance fee, is held unenforceable, is found invalid, is statutorily disclaimed in whole or terminally disclaimed under 37 C.F.R. 1.321(a), has all claims cancelled by a reexamination certificate, or is otherwise terminated prior to the expiration of its statutory term as presently shortened by any terminal disclaimer, except for the separation of legal title stated above.

The undersigned on behalf of petitioner, PIONEER CORPORATION, hereby states and declares that I have the authority to execute this Terminal Disclaimer on behalf of the petitioner.

Respectfully submitted,
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